

I am submitting a comment in reference to proceeding 04-233.

1. Currently the community I reside in is served by FM translator service for KLOVE (88.5 FM ~ Fairbanks, Alaska). I have enjoyed and utilized KLOVE's broadcasts for the past two years on a daily basis.

2. The local community is also served by KLOVE's broadcast in addition to a number of other stations transmitted in the area via FM translators. The loss of such locally broadcast FM translators due to a Low Power FM (LPFM) broadcaster would have an irreversable negative effect on the local community. Our community is small in comparison with Lower 48 communities and the quality programming heard on stations such as KLOVE is a tremendous boost to the community in terms of the programming recieved via FM translator stations.

3. The service provided by KLOVE (88.5 FM) is a service that no other local radio station currently provides. It is a vital service to the public interest and serves many residents of the community. As a local member of the "public" I believe that I have a stake in the "public interest" and would therefore comment that displacement of such a station as KLOVE would greatly diminish the local quality programming and the service that is provided to the public and myself as a listner of KLOVE.

Thank you for the opprotunity to comment.